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MEMBERSHIP DUES: Membership in The Canadian Association of Wooden Money Collectors is \$3.00 per calendar year.

1977 dues are due N O W. If you have not send in your renewal please forward it now to our Secretary-Treasurer:

Bruce Watt
1153 Northridge Street
Oshawa, Ontario
L1G 3P3

NEW MEMBERS: Bruce has sent a list of recently joined members of CAWMC. Please add to your membership list:

Bill Feist
P. O. Box 2811
Santa Rosa, California
U. S. A. 95405

Larry White
Box 85
Liberty Centre, Ohio
U. S. A. 43532

Jack A. DuPont
463 Notre Dame Ave.
Sudbury, Ontario
P3C 5K9

John Hnatiuk
520 West Pender Street
Vancouver, B. C.
V6B 1V3

Paul Johnson
P. O. Box 41, Stn. "O"
Toronto
Ontario

Glen W. Littrell
3054 Daytona Drive
Corpus Christi, Texas
U. S. A. 78404

Mrs. A. R. (Jean) Huntington
211 Wurtzburg, Apt. 2002
Ottawa, Ontario
K1N 8R4

Mark Mogen
3715 Unity Place N. W.
Calgary, Alberta

Correction: In the last issue of Timber Talk we listed one new member as: John Brenna. John's last name should have been: BRENNAN. John is a new collector of Canadian wood and would appreciate a list of anyones duplicates. Can anyone help John?

1977 CHRISTMAS WOOD: Clarence Kramer of Route 309, Drums Pennsylvania advises that he has a few of his wood calendars left and will send one to any member of CAWMC that sends him a #10 SASE. (Canadian collectors without U.S. postage should send Clarence 15¢ U.S. + long SASE.)

Clarence also stated in his letter that he would like to exhibit his wood in Canada. When I saw his display in Columbus, Ohio in 1974, it was mounted in frames set on easels and would not have fit in the average size living room! It would be quite a job bringing your collection to Canada but I am certain all wood collectors benefit from just viewing it.

THANKS; Coin World receives each issue of Timber Talk (as does the TAMS library) and it was mentioned on Page 46 of their January 19, 1977 issue. I have received a few queries from interested wood collectors. Thanks Marilyn.

GEORGE PARFET; has advised that he donated the mailing of the wood charters (I am sorry there are none left for sale.) to each of the 45 Charter Members. This means that our club treasury will benefit from a small surplus. Thanks very much George. George does have a want list for Canadian wood that he has previously sent me, part of which has appeared in Timber Talk from time to time. Some of his wants are listed below, so if any member has a duplicate they can contact George at:

George Parfet
729 Euclid Avenue
Temple, Pennsylvania
U. S. A. 19560

wants

Alta.- Calgary - Abbots Tire Supply
Penley Drug Stores
Cinema Park Drive-Inn

Blairmore - 1976 Mrs. Kay's Music Lessons 7 1/2¢

B.C.-Kamloops - 1969 Interior Coins Ltd. Black Round and Oval

-Port Moody - Coin Club 1970 6th & 1968, 69, 70 Banquet

Ont.-London - George's Esso Station - no date

- It Pays To Sell I. B. M. - no date

-Sutton - 1967 Old Home Week Centennial - 5¢ black

Que.-Point Claire - 72nd Lakeshore Unitarian Church

5¢ Red, Blk/Blk, Blu/Blk, Orange

-St. Hyacinthe- no date - Pierre Laberge Cnaussures - 2 wood Nickels 10¢ Grn.

Coin Exchang Eng - 7 Types

ARTICLES: Your editor is in need of more articles from members. If you know of any new issues, have an interesting story related to wood, or know the history behind any issue please send it in. Thanks to those of you who have done so in the past. It makes any newsletter more interesting to read articles from different pens.

NEW ISSUE: Upper Canada Token and Medal Society Coin Show 1st Annual -Nov.6/76 For sale from: Mr. William Gage R.R. 1, Shanty Bay, Ontario 10L 2L0-25¢ each plus SASE. (Photo below.)

OLD/NEW ISSUE: Besides the recently issued pieces members keep turning up old issues. The latest one is from Frank Harding of Laura, Sask. SOL LX0.

"Barrhead/Dry Cleaners/Ltd./Bonanza/1965-Black." Has anyone heard of it?? Some have speculated it is from the U.S.



Upper Canada Token-
Medal Society wood



THE WOODEN NICKEL OF LIFE LINE INSURANCE BROKERS, SASKATOON, SASKATCHEWAN

Murray Levine and his son Joel operate the Life Line Insurance Brokers in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan selling Life, Accident and Disability Insurance. They have recently issued a wooden nickel as follows-

LIFE LINE/INSURANCE/BROKERS LTD/ROOM 100/THE BESSBOROUGH/SASKATOON/244-5544

The reverse reads - A/ROUND/TUIT

On questioning Joel Levine regarding the wording on the reverse, he said that often the customer will put the salesman off by saying "I must get around to it." The salesman then gives the customer one of the wooden nickels, saying "Here is the round to it you wanted, now what about some insurance?"

1000 were printed 38mm Black Print

by Frank Harding, F.C.N.R.S.



ELECTIONS: LAST AND MOST IMPORTANT TOPIC THIS MONTH. This is our election year and the new executive will take over during the Annual Canadian Numismatic Association's Convention to be held in Vancouver, B. C. from August 3 - 7, 1977. Ballots must be mailed out with the June issue of Timber Talk in order to be mailed to the Returning Officer before the convention. Any member of CAWMC may nominate another for the following positions:

PRESIDENT
VICE-PRESIDENT
SECRETARY-TREASURER
EDITOR
BOARD OF GOVERNORS (5 to be elected)

It is possible that President and Editor may be restricted to residents of Canada. Many members have commented on this as the club is The Canadian Association ^{of} Wooden Money Collectors with membership open to anyone. No decision has yet been made in this regard, so for the time being submit any names for any positions. To assist your nomination, you will find sample blanks of nomination forms on the next page. No set format is required, just the essential information. Please remember that the person you nominate must agree to let his or her name stand for that office. We would prefer to see every position contested by a number of members. Mail your nominations to the Returning Officer:

Norman W. Williams
P. O. Box 310
New Westminster, B.C.
V3L 4Y6

P.S. To those that have enquired- I had a terrific holiday in Hawaii. Remember the A.N.A. will hold their Convention in Honolulu from August 25 - 30, 1981, one year after the joint C.N.A.-A.N.A. Convention/Toronto, Ontario from August 12 - 17, 1980.

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Nominator CAWMC #

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By signing this nomination form the Nominee signifies his acceptance of the nomination and the willingness to serve The CAWMC in that capacity if elected.

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